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In re Patent Application of:

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HAVING A MINIMUM FIGURE OF MERITAsst. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: February 26, 2002

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Examiner: P. Brock II

PETITION AND FEE FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.17, 1.136(a) AND 35 USC 41(a)8

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Asst. Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by 2 months. Enclosed is our check No. 8620 which includes the amount of \$400 for the petition fee in accordance with 37 CFR 1.17 computed as:

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